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#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

2008–2009 School Year Reports

Dear School Board Members and School Personnel:

The Maine Educational Assessment (MEA) is the State's measure of student progress in achieving the State accountability standards of Maine's *Learning Results*. The *Learning Results* contain goals for what all students should know and be able to do at certain times in their school careers and include the accountability standards that are assessed for each grade. The MEA is administered to students in all grades 3 through 8 to meet state assessment requirements and the requirements of the federal *No Child Left Behind* Act.

The 2008-2009 MEA Summary Reports contain the results of student achievement in reading and mathematics at all grades and science at grades 5 and 8 and disaggregated by student and school characteristics. This report, together with MEA individual student and subject-specific class analysis reports, provides support for use in program evaluation and planning.

MEA results reflect scores based on test questions that are taken in common by the approximately 15,000 students in each grade level. Students' scores in each content area are based on answers to a combination of multiple-choice questions and questions that require students to construct an answer. More information about the MEA is available at <a href="https://www.maine.gov/education/mea/index.htm">www.maine.gov/education/mea/index.htm</a>.

I look forward to working with you in support of our continued efforts to improve the quality and effectiveness of the instructional opportunities designed to help all students achieve the high standards of the *Learning Results* and demonstrate that achievement through performance on the assessments.

Sincerely,

Susan A. Gendron

Commissioner of Education

Susan A. Lendron



### School Report Grade 6

Test Date: March 2009

Code: 11491389

SAU: Scarborough School Department

School: Scarborough Middle School

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### **SUMMARY OF SCORES**

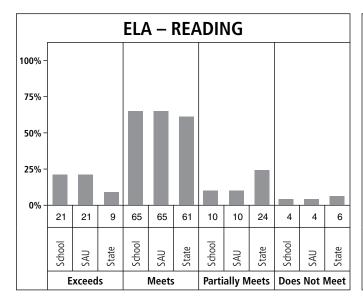
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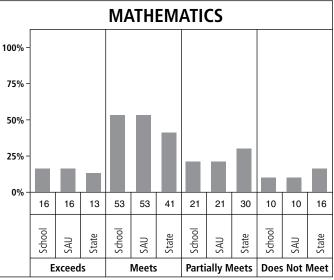
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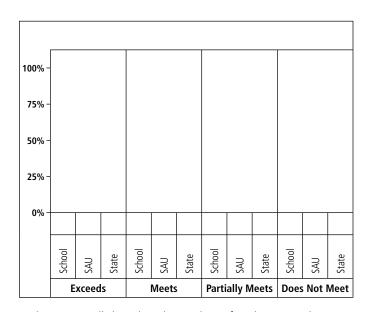
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# Summary of School, SAU, and State Scores

Year	Avera	age Scaled S	Score
ieai	School	SAU	State
<b>ELA – Reading</b> 2006–2007 2007–2008 <b>2008–2009</b> Cum. Avg.*	652 653 <b>652</b> 652	652 653 <b>652</b> 652	646 648 <b>647</b> 647
Mathematics 2006–2007 2007–2008 <b>2008–2009</b> Cum. Avg. *	649 646 <b>648</b> 648	649 646 <b>648</b> 648	643 642 <b>643</b> 643







<sup>\*</sup>Cumulative averages are weighted, i.e., the scaled scores are averaged proportionally based on the numbers of students in each year.



## **SUMMARY OF STUDENT PARTICIPATION**

Test Date: March 2009

Grade:

SAU: Scarborough School Department School: Scarborough Middle School

		Е	nroll	mer	nt¹						C	TNC	EN	ГАБ	REA	PA	RTIC	) PA	TIO	N <sup>2</sup>			
CATEGORY OF		durii	ng test	ing wi	ndow				ELA-R	eading					Mathe	matics							
PARTICIPATION	Sch	nool	Si	AU	St	ate	Scl	hool	SA	AU	Sta	ate	Scl	hool	S	AU	Sta	ite	Scl	hool	SAU	s	State
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n %	n	%
Total number of students	251	100	251	100	14251	100	249	99	249	99	14150	99	249	99	249	99	14156	100					
Ethnicity African American/Black	5	2	5	2	421	3	5	100	5	100	412	98	5	100	5	100	415	99					
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0	0	0	0	128	1	0	0	0	0	127	99	0	0	0	0	128	100					
Asian or Pacific Islander	7	3	7	3	212	1	7	100	7	100	210	99	7	100	7	100	212	100					
Hispanic	3	1	3	1	181	1	3	100	3	100	177	98	3	100	3	100	178	99					
Caucasian/White	236	94	236	94	13309	93	234	99	234	99	13224	100	234	99	234	99	13223	100					
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Identified disability	29	12	29	12	2468	17	28	97	28	97	2423	99	28	97	28	97	2426	99					
Current LEP	2	1	2	1	341	2	2	100	2	100	330	97	2	100	2	100	338	99					
Economically disadvantaged	26	10	26	10	5780	41	25	96	25	96	5724	99	25	96	25	96	5725	99					
Migrant	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	100	0	0	0	0	4	100					

MODE OF			ELA-F	eading					Mathe	matics					
	Sc	hool	S	AU	Sta	ate	Sch	ool	S	AU	Sta	ate	School	SAU	State
PARTICIPATION <sup>3</sup>	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n %	n %	n %
Participation without accommodations	208	83	208	83	11369	80	207	82	207	82	11373	80			
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	3	1	3	1	355	3	2	1	2	1	371	3			
LEP	1	0	1	0	167	1	1	0	1	0	170	1			
504 plan	5	2	5	2	172	2	5	2	5	2	175	2			
Participation with accommodations	39	16	39	16	2594	18	40	16	40	16	2605	18			
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	23	59	23	59	1881	73	24	60	24	60	1877	72			
LEP	1	3	1	3	155	6	1	3	1	3	161	6			
504 plan	3	8	3	8	74	3	3	8	3	8	71	3			
Other	12	31	12	31	519	20	12	30	12	30	532	20			
Participation through alternate assessment (PAAP)	2	1	2	1	187	1	2	1	2	1	178	1			
Identified disability (PET/IEP)	2	100	2	100	187	100	2	100	2	100	178	100			
LEP	0	0	0	0	8	4	0	0	0	0	7	4			
504 plan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Approved non-participation in reading – 1st year LEP	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Approved non-participation – special consideration	0	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	25	0			
Non-participation – other	2	1	2	1	75	1	2	1	2	1	70	0			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Percents are the percentage of students enrolled in each participation category.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Percents are the percentage of students, including those who participated through alternate assessment (PAAP), who participated in the content area.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Percents are the percentage of students in each content area by mode.



## **ELA-READING RESULTS**

Test Date: March 2009

Grade:

SAU: Scarborough School Department School: Scarborough Middle School

#### STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		Sch	ool	SA	\U	Sta	ite
The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine's Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction in English language arts – reading.	s Learning	N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing in-depth inferences, analyzing texts for subtle clues, synthesizing information across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to make deeper connections within or across texts to increase comprehension. (Scaled Score 662–680)	2006-2007	46	18	46	18	1132	8
	2007-2008	52	18	52	18	1817	13
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1309</b>	<b>9</b>
	Cum. Total*	150	19	150	19	4258	10
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates the ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level by drawing inferences, summarizing main ideas and providing supporting details, connecting ideas within and across texts, and using his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to increase comprehension. (Scaled Score 642–660)	2006-2007	166	64	166	64	8127	57
	2007-2008	187	66	187	66	8072	57
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>8564</b>	<b>61</b>
	Cum. Total*	513	65	513	65	24763	59
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates an inconsistent ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's ability to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, and use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices varies depending on the texts. (Scaled Score 630–640)	2006-2007	33	13	33	13	3549	25
	2007-2008	39	14	39	14	3194	23
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3291</b>	<b>24</b>
	Cum. Total*	97	12	97	12	10034	24
<b>Does Not Meet the Standards</b> – The student's work demonstrates a limited ability to read and interpret literary and informational texts appropriate for the grade level. The student's responses are often vague or incorrect leaving the impression that the student found it difficult to draw inferences, summarize main ideas and provide supporting details, connect ideas within and across texts, or use his/her knowledge of text features and literary devices to support comprehension. (Scaled Score 600–628)	2006-2007	13	5	14	5	1478	10
	2007-2008	4	1	4	1	981	7
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>6</b>
	Cum. Total*	27	3	28	4	3258	8

		nber	A	verage Poir	nts Attaine	d (Number	and Percer	ıt)
Learning Results Content Standards		oints sible	Sch	ool	SA	<b>AU</b>	Sta	ate
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Reading Total Points	56	100	37.9	67.7	37.9	67.7	33.8	60.4
A1/A2 Interconnected Elements/Literary Text	20	36	13.1	65.5	13.1	65.5	11.9	59.5
A1/A3/4 Interconnected Elements/Informational Text/Persuasive Text	36	64	24.8	68.9	24.8	68.9	21.9	60.8

The MEA assesses students' reading skills based on questions related to three types of reading passages: literary, informational, and persuasive. Reading passages include both long and short texts, selected from developmentally appropriate works. MEA reading items measure the English Language Arts accountability content standard A, Reading, contained in Maine's 2007 *Learning Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction*, which can be found at: http://www.maine.gov/education/lres/pei/index.html.



# **ELA-READING RESULTS**

(CONTINUED)

Test Date: March 2009

Grade: 6

SAU: Scarborough School Department

School: Scarborough Middle School

					Sch	nool							SA	AU					Sta	ate		<u> </u>
REPORTING CATEGORIES	Tested		E		М		P		D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	247	52	21	160	65	25	10	10	4	652	247	21	65	10	4	652	13963	9	61	24	6	647
Ethnicity African American/Black American Indian or Native Alaskan Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic Caucasian/White Not Reported	4 0 7 3 233 0	3 48	43 21	3 152	43 65	1 23	14 10	0 10	0	656 652	4 0 7 3 233 0	43 21	43 65	14 10	0	656 652	403 125 206 174 13055 0	5 4 18 5 9	46 49 56 55 62	34 38 20 33 23	15 10 6 7 5	641 642 649 644 647
Identified disability Yes No	26 221	0 52	0 24	9 151	35 68	8 17	31 8	9	35 0	635 654	26 221	0 24	35 68	31 8	35 0	635 654	2236 11727	1 11	30 67	48 19	22 3	637 649
Current LEP Yes No	2 245	51	21	160	65	24	10	10	4	652	2 245	21	65	10	4	652	322 13641	2 10	39 62	37 23	21 5	638 647
Economically disadvantaged Yes No	25 222	3 49	12 22	17 143	68 64	4 21	16 9	1 9	4 4	649 653	25 222	12 22	68 64	16 9	4 4	649 653	5617 8346	4 13	54 66	33 17	9 3	643 650
<b>Migrant</b> Yes No	0 247	52	21	160	65	25	10	10	4	652	0 247	21	65	10	4	652	4 13959	9	61	24	6	647
Gender Female Male Not Reported	129 118 0	40 12	31 10	72 88	56 75	12 13	9 11	5 5	4 4	654 650	129 118 0	31 10	56 75	9 11	4 4	654 650	6743 7220 0	13 6	63 60	20 27	4 7	649 645
<b>Title 1A targeted program</b> Yes No	0 247	52	21	160	65	25	10	10	4	652	0 247	21	65	10	4	652	1408 12555	4 10	41 64	43 21	12 5	641 648
Gifted/talented program Yes No	13 234	5 47	38 20	8 152	62 65	0 25	0 11	0 10	0 4	662 652	13 234	38 20	62 65	0 11	0 4	662 652	636 13327	39 8	59 61	2 25	0 6	659 647

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards

**NOTE:** Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested.

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# **ELA-READING RESULTS**

(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2009

Grade: 6

SAU: **Scarborough School Department** 

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					Sch	ool							SA	U					Sta	te		
QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	Students in Each Category		E	ı	M		Р	ı	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Jeore	%	%	%	%	%	30010	%	%	%	%	%	1
How much homework do you do on school nights? A. none B. less than one hour C. one to two hours D. more than two hours	1 48 48 3	0 24 24 4	0 20 20 50	0 76 81 3	0 64 68 38	0 13 11 1	0 11 9 13	2 5 3 0	100 4 3 0	627 652 653 654	1 48 48 3	0 20 20 50	0 64 68 38	0 11 9 13	100 4 3 0	627 652 653 654	6 59 32 3	5 9 11 10	47 62 64 50	32 24 21 26	16 5 4 13	642 647 648 644
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in reading?  A. very good  B. good  C. fair	26 58 15	19 28 5	30 20 13	39 98 21	61 69 55	4 13 8	6 9 21	2 4 4	3 3 11	656 652 647	26 58 15	30 20 13	61 69 55	6 9 21	3 3 11	656 652 647	31 48 18	17 8 2	66 64 48	14 23 40	3 5 10	651 647 641
D. poor	1	0	0	2	100	0	0	0	0	647	1	0	100	0	0	647	2	1	34	47	18	638
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about reading?  A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in reading class.  B. They match some of what I have learned.  C. They match just a little of what I have learned.  D. There is no match.	39 51 8 2	25 20 6 1	26 16 32 20	67 82 8 3	69 65 42 60	3 18 4 0	3 14 21 0	2 6 1	2 5 5 20	655 651 649 644	39 51 8 2	26 16 32 20	69 65 42 60	3 14 21 0	2 5 5 20	655 651 649 644	38 49 10 3	13 8 5 3	65 63 48 35	18 24 36 38	3 5 11 24	650 647 642 639
How difficult was the reading part of this test?  A. more difficult than my regular schoolwork  B. about the same as my regular schoolwork  C. easier than my regular schoolwork	9 70 21	4 32 15	18 18 29	14 114 32	64 66 63	2 21 2	9 12 4	2 6 2	9 3 4	651 651 655	9 70 21	18 18 29	64 66 63	9 12 4	9 3 4	651 651 655	16 66 17	7 10 11	52 64 61	30 22 22	11 4 5	644 648 648
How difficult were the reading passages on this test?  A. Most of the passages were more difficult than what I normally read.  B. Most of the passages were about the same as what I normally read.  C. Most of the passages were easier than what I normally read.	5 53 42	0 17 35	0 13 34	6 87 64	50 68 62	2 20 2	17 16 2	4 4 2	33 3 2	639 650 657	5 53 42	0 13 34	50 68 62	17 16 2	33 3 2	639 650 657	10 55 35	2 6 16	39 62 67	42 27 14	17 5 3	639 646 651
How hard did you try on the reading part of this test?  A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.  B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.  C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	49 49 2	24 28 0	20 23 0	78 78 4	64 64 100	16 9 0	13 7 0	3 7 0	2 6 0	652 652 655	49 49 2	20 23 0	64 64 100	13 7 0	2 6 0	652 652 655	48 49 3	10 10 3	60 63 53	24 22 29	6 5 15	647 648 642
How much time do you spend reading at home each day?  A. more than one hour  B. 20 minutes to an hour  C. less than 20 minutes  D. I rarely read at home.	22 55 14 9	18 23 8 3	33 17 23 13	32 91 23 14	59 67 66 61	1 18 2 4	2 13 6 17	3 3 2 2	6 2 6 9	656 652 651 647	22 55 14 9	33 17 23 13	59 67 66 61	2 13 6 17	6 2 6 9	656 652 651 647	23 49 11 17	15 10 6 2	65 64 58 51	16 22 29 36	4 4 7 11	650 648 645 642
Optional school/SAU question A. B. C. D.	0 0 0 100	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	626	0 0 0 100	0	0	0	100	626						

E = Exceeds the Standards M = Meets the Standards P = Partially Meets the Standards D = Does Not Meet the Standards N = Number



### **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

Test Date: March 2009

Grade:

SAU: Scarborough School Department School: Scarborough Middle School

#### STUDENTS AT EACH ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL

ACHIEVEMENT LEVEL DEFINITIONS		Sch	ool	SA	<b>V</b> U	Sta	te
The quality of a student's work at each achievement level reflects progress in attaining Maine's Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction in mathematics.	s Learning	N	%	N	%	N	%
Exceeds the Standards – The student's work demonstrates in-depth understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make multiple connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to synthesize information; analyze and solve difficult problems, including developing and implementing strategies, efficiently and accurately performing procedures, and recording and justifying solutions; and explain complex concepts. (Scaled Score 662–680)	2006-2007	50	19	50	19	2092	15
	2007-2008	27	10	27	10	1474	10
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>1807</b>	<b>13</b>
	Cum. Total*	116	15	116	15	5373	13
Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates a general understanding of essential concepts in mathematics, including the ability to make connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate the ability to analyze and solve problems including developing and implementing strategies, to perform procedures, and to record and explain solutions and concepts. The student's work may contain minor errors. (Scaled Score 642–660)	2006-2007	131	51	131	50	5731	40
	2007-2008	147	52	147	52	6008	43
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>5662</b>	<b>41</b>
	Cum. Total*	408	52	408	52	17401	41
Partially Meets the Standards – The student's work demonstrates incomplete understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and inconsistent connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate some ability to analyze and solve problems, and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies may be flawed, procedures performed inaccurately, methods not recorded and/or problems not completed. (Scaled Score 628–640)	2006-2007	60	23	60	23	4175	29
	2007-2008	88	31	88	31	4244	30
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4219</b>	<b>30</b>
	Cum. Total*	201	26	201	25	12638	30
Does Not Meet the Standards – The student's work demonstrates limited understanding of essential concepts in mathematics and infrequent or inaccurate connections among central ideas. The student's responses demonstrate minimal ability to solve problems and explain concepts. Problem solving strategies and procedures are often flawed or inappropriate and there may be many omissions. (Scaled Score 600–626)	2006-2007	18	7	19	7	2308	16
	2007-2008	20	7	20	7	2346	17
	<b>2008-2009</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2290</b>	<b>16</b>
	Cum. Total*	63	8	64	8	6944	16

	1	nber	Avera	ge Point	s Attaine	d (Numbe	r and Pe	rcent)
Learning Results Content Standards		oints sible	Sch	ool	SA	AU	Sta	ate
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Mathematics Total Points	56	100	34.2	61.1	34.2	61.1	30.6	54.6
A. Number	18	32	11.3	62.8	11.3	62.8	10.3	57.2
B. Data	12	21	6.8	56.7	6.8	56.7	6.6	55.0
C. Geometry	14	25	8.5	60.7	8.5	60.7	7.3	52.1
D. Algebra	12	21	7.5	62.5	7.5	62.5	6.5	54.2

The MEA assesses students' mathematics knowledge based on questions that measure the mathematics accountability content standards contained in Maine's 2007 *Learning Results: Parameters for Essential Instruction*, which can be found at: http://www.maine.gov/education/lres/pei/index. html.

Content Standard A, Number, includes Whole Number, Rational Number, and Real Number.

Content Standard B, Data, includes Measurement and Approximation, Data Analysis, and Probability.

Content Standard C, Geometry, includes Geometric Figures, Geometric Measurement, and Transformations.

Content Standard D, Algebra, includes Symbols and Expressions, Equations and Inequalities, and Functions and Relations.



# **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

(CONTINUED)

Test Date: March 2009

Grade: 6

SAU: Scarborough School Department

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REPORTING CATEGORIES	Tested		E		M		P		D	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled	Tested	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled
	N	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score	N	%	%	%	%	Score
All Students	247	39	16	130	53	53	21	25	10	648	247	16	53	21	10	648	13978	13	41	30	16	643
Ethnicity African American/Black American Indian or Native Alaskan Asian or Pacific Islander Hispanic Caucasian/White Not Reported	4 0 7 3 233 0	1	14 16	5 120	71 52	1 50	14 21	0 25	0	653 648	4 0 7 3 233 0	14 16	71 52	14 21	0	653 648	406 126 208 175 13063 0	4 4 18 5 13	26 29 47 31 41	36 40 23 41 30	34 28 12 23 16	633 635 647 638 643
Identified disability Yes No	26 221	0 39	0 18	5 125	19 57	7 46	27 21	14 11	54 5	628 650	26 221	0 18	19 57	27 21	54 5	628 650	2248 11730	3 15	18 45	33 30	46 11	629 646
Current LEP Yes No	2 245	39	16	128	52	53	22	25	10	648	2 245	16	52	22	10	648	331 13647	3 13	22 41	35 30	40 16	631 643
<b>Economically disadvantaged</b> Yes No	25 222	0 39	0 18	11 119	44 54	10 43	40 19	4 21	16 9	640 649	25 222	0 18	44 54	40 19	16 9	640 649	5620 8358	6 18	33 45	37 26	25 11	637 647
Migrant Yes No	0 247	39	16	130	53	53	21	25	10	648	0 247	16	53	21	10	648	4 13974	13	41	30	16	643
Gender Female Male Not Reported	129 118 0	17 22	13 19	68 62	53 53	29 24	22 20	15 10	12 8	647 649	129 118 0	13 19	53 53	22 20	12 8	647 649	6738 7240 0	12 14	40 41	32 29	16 16	642 644
Title 1A targeted program Yes No	0 247	39	16	130	53	53	21	25	10	648	0 247	16	53	21	10	648	1410 12568	3 14	24 42	41 29	32 15	634 644
<b>Gifted/talented program</b> Yes No	13 234	10 29	77 12	3 127	23 54	0 53	0 23	0 25	0 11	669 647	13 234	77 12	23 54	0 23	0 11	669 647	637 13341	65 10	32 41	3 31	0 17	665 642

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**NOTE:** Some achievement level results have been left blank because fewer than five (5) students were tested.

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# **MATHEMATICS RESULTS**

(QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS)

Test Date: March 2009

Grade: 6

SAU: **Scarborough School Department** 

School: Scarborough Middle School

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QUESTIONNAIRE ITEMS	Students in Each Category		E	ı	VI		P	ı	)	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	P	D	Mean Scaled Score	Students in Each Category	E	М	Р	D	Mean Scaled Score
	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	200.0	%	%	%	%	%	10.0	%	%	%	%	%	
How much homework do you do on school nights? A. none B. less than one hour C. one to two hours D. more than two hours	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	100	617	1	0	0	0	100	617	6	7	32	28	32	636
	48	21	18	59	50	26	22	12	10	649	48	18	50	22	10	649	59	13	41	30	16	643
	48	17	14	67	56	25	21	10	8	648	48	14	56	21	8	648	32	14	41	31	14	644
	3	1	13	4	50	2	25	1	13	644	3	13	50	25	13	644	3	11	31	33	26	639
Which of the following best describes how you rate yourself as a student in mathematics?																						
A. very good B. good C. fair D. poor	32	24	30	46	58	9	11	1	1	656	32	30	58	11	1	656	30	27	45	18	9	651
	48	14	12	61	52	28	24	15	13	646	48	12	52	24	13	646	46	9	45	31	15	643
	18	1	2	20	44	16	36	8	18	639	18	2	44	36	18	639	20	2	29	43	26	635
	2	0	0	3	75	0	0	1	25	643	2	0	75	0	25	643	4	1	15	46	38	630
How well do the questions that you have just been given on this MEA test match what you have learned in school about mathematics?  A. The questions on the test match what I have learned in mathematics	23	11	19	33	58	8	14	5	9	651	23	19	58	14	9	651	35	18	42	27	13	646
class.  B. They match some of what I have learned.  C. They match just a little of what I have learned.  D. There is no match.	63	26	17	79	51	38	25	12	8	648	63	17	51	25	8	648	50	11	43	31	15	643
	14	2	6	17	50	7	21	8	24	641	14	6	50	21	24	641	13	8	31	36	26	638
	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	648	0	0	100	0	0	648	3	5	16	27	51	628
How difficult was the mathematics part of this test?  A. more difficult than my regular schoolwork  B. about the same as my regular schoolwork  C. easier than my regular schoolwork	46	13	12	59	53	26	23	14	13	646	46	12	53	23	13	646	32	7	40	34	20	640
	48	17	15	62	53	27	23	11	9	648	48	15	53	23	9	648	56	13	42	30	15	644
	7	9	53	8	47	0	0	0	0	661	7	53	47	0	0	661	12	31	36	20	13	650
How hard did you try on the mathematics part of this test?  A. I tried harder on this test than I do on my regular schoolwork.  B. I tried about the same as I do on my regular schoolwork.  C. I did not try as hard on this test as I do on my regular schoolwork.	52	18	14	64	50	31	24	14	11	647	52	14	50	24	11	647	51	11	41	31	16	643
	47	20	17	64	56	22	19	9	8	650	47	17	56	19	8	650	45	15	41	29	16	644
	2	1	25	1	25	0	0	2	50	638	2	25	25	0	50	638	4	12	28	32	28	638
On average, how many minutes a day do you spend working on mathematics in class?  A. less than 30 minutes  B. 30–45 minutes  C. 45–60 minutes  D. more than 60 minutes	4	0	0	5	50	2	20	3	30	637	4	0	50	20	30	637	6	8	29	29	34	635
	76	29	15	105	56	38	20	16	9	649	76	15	56	20	9	649	33	10	37	34	19	641
	19	10	22	19	41	13	28	4	9	649	19	22	41	28	9	649	45	15	44	29	12	645
	1	0	0	1	33	0	0	2	67	630	1	0	33	0	67	630	16	15	41	28	16	644
How often do you use calculators in mathematics class? A. almost every day B. two or three days a week C. two or three times each month D. never or almost never	17	10	23	24	56	7	16	2	5	653	17	23	56	16	5	653	9	14	35	29	22	641
	27	10	15	44	66	10	15	3	4	650	27	15	66	15	4	650	26	15	40	30	16	644
	25	9	15	36	59	9	15	7	11	648	25	15	59	15	11	648	31	13	43	30	14	644
	31	10	13	26	34	27	36	13	17	643	31	13	34	36	17	643	34	11	40	31	18	642
How often do you use hands-on materials in mathematics class?  A. almost every day  B. two or three days a week  C. two or three times each month  D. never or almost never	7	5	29	5	29	5	29	2	12	649	7	29	29	29	12	649	17	8	35	33	24	639
	19	5	10	26	54	11	23	6	13	646	19	10	54	23	13	646	28	13	42	30	15	643
	41	15	15	57	56	21	21	9	9	648	41	15	56	21	9	648	31	15	43	30	13	645
	32	14	18	42	53	16	20	8	10	648	32	18	53	20	10	648	23	14	39	30	17	643
Optional school/SAU question A. B. C. D.	0 0 0 100	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	626	0 0 0 100	0	0	0	100	626						

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